GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department – Budget Estimates 2023-24 – Administrative Sanction Order for an amount of Rs.85,37,000/- (Rupees Eighty five lakhs thirty seven thousand only) to Principal Chief Conservator of Forests – Orders – Issued.

ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (SEC.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.49. **Dated.23.03.2024.**

Read the following:-

1. From the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, A.P., Mangalgiri, letter Ref.No.2768/2021/Vig.2, dated 07.02.2024.
2. G.O.Rt.No.1210, Finance (FMU-EFS&T, MA&UD, CRDA) Department, dated 17.03.2024.

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O R D E R:

In the letter first read above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, A.P., Mangalagiri has stated that the Asst. Inspector General of Forests (FPD), Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (Forest Protection Division), Govt. of India, New Delhi in his letter dated 02.02.2024 (Sanction Order No.47/2023-24/FPD) has accorded administrative approval of the Annual Plan of Operations (APOs) for the Financial Year 2023-24 of State of Andhra Pradesh under CSS: Forest Fire Prevention & Management Scheme at a total cost of Rs.1305.80 lakhs (Rupees Thirteen hundred five lakhs and eighty thousand only) on 60%:40% cost sharing basis as Central Share (Rs.783.48 lakhs) and State Share (Rs.522.32 lakhs). Out of the Central Share i.e., Rs.783.48 lakhs, the Government of India has conveyed approval of the competent authority for sanction of Rs.195.87 lakhs (25% of Central Share) and net release of Rs.85.37 lakhs as 1st instalment of Annual Plan of Operations 2023-24.

2. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, A.P., Mangalagiri has, therefore, requested to issue Budget Release Order for Central Share of Rs.85.37 lakhs (1st instalment) and State Share of 40% i.e., Rs.56.91 lakhs and issue Administrative Sanction Order for implementing Annual Action Plan under "Forest Fire Prevention & Management Scheme" effectively during the Financial Year 2023-24.

3. In the G.O. second read above, the Finance (FMU-EFS&T, MA&UD and CRDA) Department have issued Budget Release Order for an amount of Rs.85,37,000/- (Rupees Eighty five lakhs thirty seven thousand only) from the B.E. provision 2023-24 in relaxation of treasury control orders towards meeting the expenditure for implementing the annual action plan under "Forest Fire Prevention & Management Scheme" 1st instalment during the Financial Year 2023-24.

(Rs. in Lakhs)

S.No.	Head of Account	Charged/ Voted	Provision in BE 2023-24	Additional Amounts Sanctioned	Amount Reappro-priated	Total Provision in BE 2023-24	Amount Already Authorised	Amount Authorised Now	Balance Amount Availabl e
Scheme Name: Forest Fire Prevention and Management [AP28] Procedure of Drawl of Funds: Transfer to the SNA Bank Account Drawing Officer: Concerned DDO GoI Sanction Detail: 1. GoI, letter No.3-21/2007-FPD (pt.2), Dt. 02.02.2024.									
1	24060110112063 10312	V	1,100.00	0.00	0.00	1,100.00	0.00	85.37	1,014.63
Total			1,100.00	0.00	0.00	1,100.00	0.00	85.37	1,014.63

(P.T.O.)

4. Government after careful examination, hereby issue Administrative Sanction Order for an amount of Rs.85,37,000/- (Rupees Eighty five lakhs thirty seven thousand only) from the B.E. provision 2023-24 in relaxation of treasury control orders towards meeting the expenditure for implementing the annual action plan under "Forest Fire Prevention & Management Scheme" 1st instalment during the Financial Year 2023-24 under the head of account as mentioned at para (3) above to Principal Chief Conservator of Forests.

5. The procedure for drawl of funds sanctioned in para (4) above is as indicated in the G.O. second read above.

6. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, A.P., Mangalagiri shall take necessary further action in the matter accordingly.

7. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (FMU-EFS&T and MA&UD) Department vide their U.O.No.FIN01-FMU0ASD/157/2021-FMU-EFS-MAUD (Computer No.1497250), dated 18.03.2024 and as per instructions issued in U.O Note No. 29875-A/1283/A1/BG.I/2006, Finance (BG.I) Department, dated 25.11.2006.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

NEERABH KUMAR PRASAD
SPECIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force,
A.P., Mangalagiri.
The Director of Treasuries & Accounts, A.P., Mangalagiri.
The Director of Works and Accounts, A.P.,Mangalagiri.
The Pay & Accounts Officer, A.P., Mangalagiri.
The Accountant General (A&E), A.P. Vijayawada.
The Chief Executive Officer, Andhra Pradesh Centre for Financial System & Services, Mangalagiri.

Copy to:
The Finance (FMU-EFS&T and MA&UD) Department.
SF/SCs.

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